

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

**In re the Application of:**

William BRIDGE

Serial No.: 10/801,263

Filed: March 15, 2004

For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR  
MANAGING DATA ACCESS AND  
STORAGE OF DATA LOCATED ON  
MULTIPLE STORAGE DEVICES

Group Art Unit: 2116

Examiner: Elamin, Abdelmoniem I.

Confirmation No. 4750

**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

MAIL STOP AMENDMENT  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 14503001  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed March 19, 2007, please reconsider the present application in view of the following remarks.

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